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Genoa, December. 7.

WE are informed by our last Letters from Madrid, that they continue to raise Recruits in all the Provinces of that Kingdom for compleating their intended Augmentation of their Regiments of Foot. And 'tis said an Augmentation will also be speedily made of their Regiments of Horse. The Master of a Pink, who arrived here last Saturday from Barcelona, assures us, that in his Passage he was chased eight Hours by a Barbary Corsair, but that he happily reached Cadahero, where he took Refuge, and by that Means escaped those Infidels.

Naples, Dec. 7. The Conferences between the King's Ministers and those of Foreign Powers, are observed to be much more frequent since their Majesties came here for the Winter, than they were before, which makes it conjectured that some Affairs of Importance are on the Carpet. We hear that some new Difficulties have arose in Relation to the adjusting of the Disputes between this Court and the Order of Malta.

Rome, Dec. 10. The Pope has consented to his Catholick Majesty's creating a new Bishoprick in Old Castile, which is to consist of some Parishes at present belonging to the Archbishoprick of Burgos. The Cardinals Mellini and Torregiani continue so very ill, that 'tis feared they will not recover. The Congregation for the Propagation of the Faith, have received an Account from their Missionaries in China, that the Persecution of the Christians is totally ceased in that Empire, and that they have at length obtained Permission again to preach the Gospel; which Advice has given such Satisfaction to the Pope, that publick Thanks are ordered to be given on that Occasion.

Venice, Dec. 11. The Duke de Penthievre, High Admiral of France, who has been detained here longer than he proposed by a violent Cold, being perfectly recovered, will set out with his Retinue next Friday for Ferrara, from whence he is to continue his Route for Rome, where he intends to spend some Time.

Munich, Dec. 11. The Elector of Cologn, who 'twas thought intended to stop at Mergentheim till the End of this Month, arrived here last Monday, and was received with great Marks of Esteem by the Elector of Bavaria our Sovereign.

Parma, Dec. 14. The Duke and Dutchess our Sovereigns, who have been for some Months at Colorno, arrived here last Week from thence, and propose to reside at their Palace in this City during the Winter.

Warsaw, Dec. 14. On Sunday last, being her Majesty's Birth Day, who then entred into the 56th Year of her Age, there was a grand Appearance at Court of the Nobility and Foreign Ministers, to compliment their Majesties on that Occasion. That Afternoon Count Sternbourg, the Imperial Minister, set out on his Return to Dresden; and the other Foreign Ministers are preparing for that Journey.

Stockholm, Dec. 15. Count Soltikoff, one of the Chamberlains to the Great Duke of Russia, who came to notify the Birth of the young Prince Paul Petrowitz at this Court, had his Audience of Leave of their Majesties last Wednesday, and set out this Morning on his Return to Petersbourg.

Vienna, Dec. 21. Their Imperial Majesties have sent Orders to Baron Widmann, their Minister Plenipotentiary to the several Princes and States of the Circle of Franconia, to repair immediately to Wurtzbourg, in order to assist at the Election of a new Prince Bishop.

Dresden, Dec. 22. The King and Queen, with the Princes Xavier and Charles, who left Warsaw on the 16th Instant, arrived here last Night in perfect Health; and this Day Te Deum was sung in all the Churches of this City for their Majesties safe Return.

Berlin, Dec. 22. Last Saturday arrived here Count Rosenberg, Envoy Extraordinary from their Imperial Majesties to the King of Denmark; on Sunday he was introduced to the two Queens, and on Monday continued his Journey for Copenhagen. They write from Strelitz, a small Town situate about five Miles from Oppelen

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pelen in Silesia, that a Fire had lately happened there, which burnt down two Rows of Houses.

Frankfort, Dec. 25. We are informed by our last Letters from Brunswick, Mecklenbourg and Holstein, that they are buying up a great Number of Horses in those Dutchies for the Use of the Imperial Cavalry. They write from Grumbach, that the Marriage of Count Linange with the Countess Eleonora of Daun Kitbourg, was celebrated there, on the 5th Instant, with great Magnificence.

Brussels, Dec. 29. The Deputies from the States of Flanders, who came here lately to represent to the Government the indispensible Necessity of repairing the Canal between Bruges and Ghent, having obtained the Sums necessary for that Purpose, are set out on their Return Home. General Chanclos, Commander in Chief of the Empress Queen's Forces in the Low-Countries, who was sometime since seized with an Apoplectick Fit, continuing Speechless, her Imperial Majesty has thought proper to appoint General Count de Traun to officiate for him in that important Post. Four Subaltern Officers of a neighbouring Power, who were secured here some Time ago for enlisting Men, are ordered to be conducted to the Frontiers of this Country by a Detachment of Soldiers, and there set at Liberty. They write from Liege, that the States have caused a Placard to be published, inflicting severe Penalties on all Persons who shall be found guilty of driving any horned Cattle into that Principallity, from any infected Place whatsoever.

Hague, Dec. 31. The Council of State have appointed M. Buttinga, to be Receiver of the publick Revenues in the Districts of Wedde and Westwoldingerland, in the Room of M. Mepsche, deceased. We learn from Schiedam, that Messr. Schagen and Doom, Counsellors and antient Burgomasters of that Place, are appointed to take their Seats, the first in Quality of Counsellor in the College of the Admiralty of the Meuse, and the other as Deputy from that Town to the Chamber of Accompts of the Province of Holland and Westfrizeland.

Whitehall, January 7.

The King has been pleased to grant unto his Grace Charles Duke of Marlborough, the Office of Keeper of His Majesty's Privy Seal, in the Room of the Right Honourable John Earl Gower, deceased.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Granville Earl Gower, to be Lieutenant of and in the County of Stafford, and Custos Rotulorum of the same, in the Room of the Right Honourable John Earl Gower his Father, deceased.

WHEREAS notwithstanding the several Acts of Parliament made to prevent the publishing Schemes, and selling of Chances, to be determined by the Drawing the Dutch or any other Foreign Lottery, and the several Convictions lately had against Persons for offending against the said Acts of Parliament, Information has been given to the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, That there is now on Foot an Irish Scheme for raising a Sum of Money, by the Sale of Chances or Tickets, to be determined by the Lottery of Utrecht for the Year 1755; *and that the said Scheme is handed about and put off in this Town, and Chances or Tickets, in Pursuance thereof, offered to Sale in Defiance and Contempt of the several Acts of Parliament prohibiting the same: Therefore, in order to put a Stop to such unlawful Proceedings, and to prevent the Ignorant and Unwary from being drawn in by so illegal and pernicious a Scheme, this is to inform the Publick, That the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury have given Directions to their Sollicitor to prosecute, with the utmost Rigour and Severity of the Law, all such as shall be anyways concerned in publishing such Schemes, or buying or selling any such Chances or Tickets.*

Middlesex. WHEREAS Edmund Horrex, one of the Officers belonging to the Revenue of Customs, in the Port of London, duly appointed, hath made and exhibited an Information or Complaint in Writing unto us, two of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the County of Middlesex, setting forth, that, on the 16th Day of December last, he seized, to his own Use, on the River Thames in the said County of Middlesex, a Brigantine or Vessel, called the Industry, whereof John Jones was Master, with her Tackle, Apparel and Furniture, and 4704 Yards or thereabouts, of Irish Woollen Stuff, called Camblets, within the said Vessel, for having had laden on board her, in the Year 1754, in the Port of Cork in Ireland, the said Woollen Goods, in order to carry the same to some Part or Place beyond the Seas, contrary to the Statute in that Case made; and thereby pray'd us, the said Justices, to proceed to the Condemnation of the said Woollen Goods, and the said Vessel with her Appurtenances: Whereupon we the said Justices have appointed to examine and enquire into, hear and determine the Cause of the said Seizure and Complaint, at the Angel and Crown Tavern in White-Chapel in the said County, on Tuesday the 21st Day of January Instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon; when and where all Persons interested and concerned in the Premises, are hereby required to be and personally appear before us, to the End that they may have Time and Opportunity to shew Cause (if they can) why the said Vessel, with her said Appurtenances and the said Wollen Goods, should not be condemned and sold, according to the said Statute. Dated this 4th Day of January 1755. R. Ricards. Tho. Quarrill.

Wednesday

Wednesday, Jan. 1, was publiſhed, Price 6d. beautifully printed, on a new Elzevir Letter, and fine Paper,

Embelliſhed with three Copper Plates, 1ſt. A beautiful Head of the late Right Hon. Henry Pelham, Eſq; 2d. Another of Mr. Gay. 3d. A curious Plan of the Town and River of Biddiford with Appledore, &c. With a new Song ſet to Muſick, a Country Dance, &c.

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The Humours of Chriſtmas, and Cuſtom of Chriſtmas-Boxes. Story of Barbaroſſa, on which the new Tragedy, ſo called, is founded. The faſhionable Appellation of Ladies, and the ſeveral Claſſes of them, as Married Ladies, Maiden or young Ladies, Ladies of Quality, fine Ladies, and Ladies of Pleaſure. A new method of Preſerving from Ruſt any Iron-Work expoſed to the Air. Scripture defended, and ſeveral Paſſages of the Old Teſtament cleared. Debates in the Political Club, not to be found in any other Collection. The Life, Writings and Character of Mr. Gay, Mr. Pope's Epitaph on him, and Inſcription of the Duke and Dutcheſs of Queenſberry on his Monument. Receipt for the Ague, and for the Gravel. Story of a young Lady and her Guardian. A judicious Diſcourſe on Dictionaries, and the preſent State of our Language. Humorous Propoſal for a new Ladies Dictionary. Variety of Taſtes. Deſcription of the Theſſalian Temple. Ladies Painting an unnatural Practice. Hiſtory of the New Teſtament vindicated. Mathematical Queſtion ſolved. Polite and Viſiting Robbers. Prologue and Epilogue to Barbaroſſa, with a Variety of other Pieces of Poety. Foreign and Domeſtick Occurrences. Promotions, Marriages and Births, Deaths, Bankrupts. Plays acted this Month. Prices of Grain, and of Stocks for each Day. Bills of Mortality. Catalogue of Books.

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☞ The London Magazine for January, will be publiſhed the 1ſt of February.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time (for Thomas Hall, of Chequer Yard, Dowgate Hill, in the Pariſh of All-Saints, Thames Street, London, Packer and Scarlet Dyer, a Bankrupt, to make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate ad Effects,) for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 4th Day of January inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners, in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 22d Day of February next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors may then and there prove their Debts, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Richard Falkner, late of Blackburne, in the County of Lancaſter, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th and 30th Days of January inſtant, and on the 18th Day of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Mary Broughton, commonly called the Coffee-houſe in Preſton, in the ſaid County of Lancaſter, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Starkie, Attorney, in Preſton aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Myers, late of Preſton in the County of Lancaſter, Merchant and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 15th and 27th of January inſtant, and on the 18th of February next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Mary Broughton, commonly called or known by the Name of the Coffee-houſe in Preſton aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Starkie, Attorney, in Preſton aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Barford, of the Pariſh of Ipſley, in the County of Warwick, Tanner, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 16th and 17th Days of January Inſtant, at the Houſe of William Hall, the Crown Inn in Alvechurch, in the County of Worceſter, and on the 18th Day of February next, at the Houſe of John Sanders, the Golden Croſs Inn in Bromſgrove in the ſaid County of Worceſter, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Thomas Brettell, Attorney, in Stowerbridge.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Saint, late of Throgmorton Street, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 13th Day of February next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, under the ſaid Commiſſion, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, otherwiſe they will be excluded the Benefit of the Order, intended to be applied for to Lord Chancellor, for their being paid equal with the other Creditors, before the ſecond Dividend is made.

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